



Attorney Docket No: 5051-458

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Hanley-Bowdoin et al.  
Serial No.: 09/289,346  
Filed: April 9, 1999  
For: *Geminivirus Resistant Transgenic Plants*

Confirmation No.: 8481  
Group Art Unit: 1638  
Examiner: G. Helmer

Date: March 24, 2003

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to respond to the final Office Action dated October 22, 2002 for which an Advisory Action was issued dated February 24, 2003.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

☒ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

	<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$410.00	\$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,970.00	\$985.00

Fee Enclosed \$205.00

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- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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